

1,200,000 MINERS STRIKE IN BRITAIN

Price Jumps And United States Dealers Get Flood Of Orders.

London, April 2.—All work ceased in the coal mines of the United Kingdom at midnight, with the exception of a very few districts and approximately 1,200,000 miners were idle today as a result of the controversy over the wage issue. In only two collieries in Yorkshire, one in Northumberland, one in Scotland, and one in North Wales the men have promised to continue at their posts without prejudice to any terms that may be agreed upon, but all other pit workers, including mechanics, pump men, ventilating men, and pony men, came out with the miners.

Danger that the mines may be flooded threatens, and many may be irretrievably ruined from the rush of water. Strenuous efforts are being made everywhere to enroll volunteers. Yorkshire pump men have decided to remain at work, and hope was expressed that others would follow their example.

The first effect of the strike has been the placing of orders with American coal merchants. Advice from New York state that a flood of orders from European countries which normally have formed the British market has been received there, and altho the country's stock of coal is estimated at 1,000,000 tons, the price of household fuel already has risen two shillings per ton. London and other urban centers are believed to have several weeks' supply on hand owing to the fact that export of coal has been completely stopped by the Board of Trade, except in cases where special permits have been issued.

Apprehension is felt that the National Union of Railwaymen and the transport workers' union, partners with the miners in the labor dispute, may be tempted to strike in sympathy with the coal diggers. In such an event, the nation would be confronted by a crisis of unprecedented gravity.

One of the largest wards in London took precautionary steps yesterday and formed a company of special police to protect property. Orders were issued last night to employees of various Government departments to "stand by" to report for transport duty, if necessary.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surface of the system.

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HOLSTEIN COW MAKES NEW BUTTER RECORD

Lexington, Ky., April 2.—Star Belle DeKol Lyons, 230646, a nine-year old Holstein cow owned by the Coldstream Dairy Farm, Lexington, has established a new butterfat record for Kentucky, according to a report made by J. J. Hooper, head of the dairy department of the State College of Agriculture. The new champion produced 33 pounds of butter during the seven days that she was on an official test. Her record for 30 days was 2,652 pounds of milk and 107 pounds of butterfat.

UNCLE SAM RUNS WORLD'S BIGGEST PRINTING PLANT

Just at present the American admiration for big things is tempered by the feeling that they cost money and that to procure or maintain them adds to the burdens of the tax-payers. But despite this repressive influence the megalomaniac who never counts the cost will continue to exult over the possession of big things. Motives of economy will not incline him to alter his belief that it is size that counts and therefore he may be relied upon to point with pride to the fact that the United States maintains what is probably the largest printing plant in the world, says the San Francisco Chronicle.

The Government printing office in Washington is a vast affair. Its operations are on a scale requiring disbursements amounting to millions annually. In 1920 they aggregated \$13,614,717.06. In that year 4,720 persons were employed in one capacity or another. So big is the army of employees, and so many accidents occur, \$6,878 was expended in providing surgical attention for the injured.

The salary list of the productive

end of the concern was \$5,336,043 in the year above named. There was also disbursed among the nonproducers \$908,878, according to the report. By that designation the element not embraced in the force of printers, binders, pressmen, stereotypers and the mechanical departments generally is known. The apparently invidious distinction calls attention to the fact that nearly a million dollars is a large sum to attend to the details of a \$13,000,000 establishment. If they really merit the appellation "nonproductive" it would seem that the pruning knife might be applied with resulting great advantage to the overburdened American taxpayer.

The productive part of the printing office is that credited with the setting of 2,694,226,900 ems of type the prodigious quantity required to emit the 63,645,789 copies of publications of the Government issued last year, 55,287,525 of which were distributed freely. The Government does not give away all that is produced in its great printing establishment. It actually received \$231,532 from some sources. Probably it would not receive much more if there was no free list.

The printing operation of the Government embraces the publication of seven daily papers, twenty weeklies, fifty-four monthlies and of reports of departments, 200,000 copies of some of which are issued. Libraries receive copies of all publications sent out by the Government, but a large proportion of those that come to the desks of librarians are never afforded shelf room, and of those to which that honor is accorded many are never called for by the public.

Farmers and others who live at a distance from a drug store should keep in the house a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It may be needed at any time for cuts, wounds, sores, sprains or rheumatism. It is a powerful healing and penetrating remedy. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

CIRCULAR NUMBER 67 IS COMPLETE GARDEN GUIDE

Lexington, Ky., April 4.—What is said to be one of the most complete collections of facts and information relative to the home vegetable garden is contained in Circular No. 67 issued by the Extension Division of the State College of Agriculture. The publication includes a number of discussions on various subjects relating to the garden in addition to such features as a table of the first killing frosts in Kentucky, a table showing how, when and where to plant, and discussions relative to the control of garden insects and plant diseases. It may be obtained free by writing the Experiment Station, Lexington.

MAN OF 70 JUST IN PRIME; NEEDS WIFE

"The greatest need of a man of 70 is a wife. At 70 a man is just in his prime. I wouldn't say that a man of 70 should marry a woman of the same age, because a woman of 70 has lost interest in men."

This statement from Prof. David Starr Jordan, noted educator and writer, made on his seventieth birthday, is causing widespread discussion—particularly the sentence regarding women. Women of 70 are heatedly denying that they have lost interest in men.

"Begin enjoying life at 70," is Dr. Jordan's advice to his contemporaries. "All this talk of rehabilitating men of my age is nonsense. They don't need it."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CHRISTIAN COUNTY FORMS RECORD JERSEY CAFE CLUB

Lexington, Ky., April 4.—Christian county has one of the largest Jersey calf clubs in the United States, according to authorities at the State College of Agriculture. Organization of the club was begun Dec. 1, 1920 and has just been completed with 44 members enrolled more than 30 of whom have already obtained their calves. The animals which the youngsters will raise are all purebred registered calves several of them being from register of merit sires and dams.

COL. HARVEY SELECTED AS AMBASSADOR TO BRITAIN

Washington, April 1.—Definite announcement of the selection of Col. George Harvey of New York to be Ambassador to Great Britain was made today at the White House.

Great Britain has advised the State Department that Colonel Harvey would be acceptable.

Mr. Harvey's nomination, Senator Lodge, Republican leader, said today, would be made to the Senate soon after Congress convenes, and, Senator Lodge added, undoubtedly confirmed.

POLICEMAN NOW GIVES OUT FACTS

Says Tanlac Enabled Him to Pass Examination With Rating A-1 And He Feels Fine.

"I never paid out money to better advantage in my life than when I got Tanlac, for it has restored my health and built me up fifteen pounds in weight besides," said Frank J. Hebbler, patrolman on the Covington, Ky., police force and lives at 513 Hakewell St.

"For a long time past," he continued, "I had not been in the best of health, and last spring I started all of a sudden to going down hill rapidly. What I ate didn't seem to do me a bit of good. After meals I bloated up so tight with gas I could hardly stand the pressure of my belt around my waist. I was on night duty, and my legs hurt so it was with difficulty I got around in patrolling my beat."

"My nerves went all to pieces and I usually went home all tired out and never got any sound sleep, just dozed by fits and starts and got up feeling worse than if I hadn't gone to bed at all."

"But Tanlac has just knocked out all these troubles and got me to feeling like a new man. Since taking it I can enjoy my food and it does me good. I sleep like a log and am in top-notch condition in every way. I recently underwent the regular re-examination for the police force and passed physically with a rating of A-1 which I never could have done in the shape I was in before I got Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Hartford by Dr. L. B. Bean; in Beaver Dam by R. T. Taylor, Jr.; in McHenry by S. J. Tichenor, and in Rockport by R. E. Her.

PARIS REACHES LIMIT IN "UNDRESSED" WOMEN

Paris, April 2.—The limit of the undress in Paris has been reached.

The first serious attack on the growing immorality of the stage and women's clothes was made this afternoon when the French government announced that it is about to introduce a bill in Parliament imposing severe penalties on the ultra risque.

The cabinet today devoted an hour to the subject following a sensational speech by Senator Lamar Selie, who pointed out that in the latest revue in the biggest Paris music hall there are ten nude women in one scene.

He added that the whole city is plastered with immoral theatrical posters and that the dancing clubs are filled with half-dressed women. Even the street costumes of the French women, the senator declared, are immoral and he predicted that France will fall like Rome unless the present tendencies are stopped.

It became known today that the king of Sweden, visiting Paris recently, unwittingly attended a theater in which an artiste was dancing in the nude. The king, it is declared, was incensed and left the house at the end of the first act.

FRIENDS TO ERECT STATUE OF 'DEVIL ANSE' HATFIELD

Huntington, W. Va., April 1.—Relatives and friends of the late "Devil Anse" Hatfield, noted mountaineer chieftain and leader in the Hatfield-McCoy feud, are arranging to have a life-size statue of the clansman erected on the site of his late home on Indian Creek in Logan county.

The statue, which will be carved in Carrara marble at Carrara Italy, will portray Anse standing bareheaded, looking out over the mountains. The relatives and friends are subscribing to a fund to cover the cost of the monument.

FORMER GERMAN EMPRESS IS GRADUALLY SINKING

Doorn, Holland, April 2.—Former Empress Augusta Victoria, of Germany, is gradually sinking as a result of her latest heart attack, says a bulletin issued by her physicians this afternoon. The bulletin says:

"The condition of the former empress, altho fluctuating, is gradually becoming worse. Lately, her general health has been less favorable. It is only due to the kind and skillful attention of the family and nurses that she is alive today."

MEXICAN MINE FIRE LAID TO EX-WORKERS

Padueah, Mex., April 2.—Fire, believed to have been started by discharged employees, destroyed the reduction plant and some other works of the San Rafael and Anexas silver mine in this city. The loss is estimated at \$250,000.

FORMER ROYALTY SERVE AS COOKS

Former Princess And Generals Act As Stewards In Warsaw's Public Kitchen.

Warsaw, April 2.—Forming every day in front of the Orthodox Church of Podwal street, in this city, is the most remarkable bread line in the world, and the persons in the line are fed from a soup kitchen operated by perhaps the most unusual personnel in the world.

Both bread line and personnel are drawn from 1,000 Russian refugees of the upper classes, including nobles, diplomats, high officials of the former Russian Czar's general staff, land owners and professors.

Speaking of this pathetic bread line, Ludmila Lublinsk, head of the Russian relief work in Poland says: "All of these refugees belong to the 'intelligentsia,' or intellectual class. Professional men constitute a large percentage of the refugees, and they stand in a long queue in the yard at noon regardless of the weather, awaiting their turn for their meal at the public kitchen."

"They not only take their dinners at the public kitchen, but many of them find occupation there. People who a few years ago were very rich and powerful in Russian court circles are today serving in the dining room and kitchen as cooks and dishwashers and waiters."

"The kitchen and dining room are under the direction of members of the refugee colony, assisted by the American Red Cross. The manager of the public kitchen is a former colonel of the Russian Imperial Guard. The manager of the branch kitchen in Ostrow is a celebrated professor; the controller is a count, former master of ceremony of the Imperial court. As assistants he has a former cabinet minister and a former governor."

"Among the waitresses, two bear the title of princess, one of countess, one is the wife of an admiral, another the wife of a general. Coffee is poured by the wife of a famous general, assisted by a baroness and by the sister of a former governor general."

"Meal tickets are handed out by a general, the woodshed is in charge of a former judge of the Supreme Court and the errand boy was once the lord mayor of a South Russian city. Two army officers, one lawyer and one professor, comprise the fuel brigade which cuts the wood for the kitchen."

URGE MORE RESPECT FOR AMERICAN FLAG

Boston, April 2.—Disrespect of

the American flag will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law by members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, it was announced during the state conference of that organization. A resolution was adopted urging Congress to pass a law prohibiting the draping of flags for decorative purposes when bunting should be used.

Members pledged themselves to report to the state committee any acts of irreverence to the flag that might come under their notice.

WHY APRIL FOOLS' DAY?

No one has yet set up a good sound reason why April 1, should be set aside especially for the jokers and fools. The custom of making this day the time to play tricks and have

a good time is an old one. Some say it was handed down from the French, who, when in 1564 they changed their New Year's Day to January 1, thought there should be some kind of a "memorial celebration" on the old New Year's Day, April 1.

"April Fools' Day" is common in many foreign countries. In Scotland the butt of a joke is called a "gowk" and in France they say he is an "April fish."

A Timely Suggestion.

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